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| <b>DISPATCH</b> |   | CLASSIFICATION<br><b>SECRET</b>     | DISPATCH NUMBER AND DATE<br><b>NSA/27229</b>    |
| TO<br>INFO      | Chief, EE<br>COB/Salzburg                   |                                     | HEADQUARTERS FILE NO.<br><b>6-124-27229</b>     |
| FROM            | Chief of Station, Vienna                    | DATE                                |   |
| SUBJECT         | GROOVY GROOVED<br>GRIVING - Progress Report | ROUTINE<br>NO. 433 - (CHECK IS ONE) | MARKED FOR INDEXING                             |
| ACTION TO       |   | NO INDEXING REQUIRED                | INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED<br>BY QUALIFIED HQ STAFF |

Reference: NSA 5417, 27 January 1961

1. This agent is a part of the GROOVED stay-behind project, which is controlled by the Salzburg base. The local contact with him in Vienna is maintained by
2. GRIVING is paid no salary by us. He is motivated purely on ideological grounds, and also he is rather proud of the association. His expenses incurred are for lunches, occasional gifts, and his travel expenses to and from training centers in Munich or Frankfurt. While he has sometimes been in somewhat straightened circumstances, no suggestion was ever made that help was required from us. Recently however, GRIVING's financial situation has improved because of sculpturing contracts in behalf of the Vienna City Government. He is also now lecturing at the Akademie der bildenden Künste in Vienna.
3. About two years ago the agent recovered material which he had packed some years before in the Vienna Tiergarten. Present caches are located in the area of his paternal home in Ebensee, Upper Austria. Recent inspection of the site indicates that all is in order there.
4. GRIVING is a former Wehrmacht Punker and worked in Yugoslavia and France where he was made a prisoner in the area of Bourges, France. He was given a rating of "good" by W/T training officers in Frankfurt as a result of refresher training there in 1960.
5. The annual cost for trips to training area, gifts, and lunches in this operation can be fixed at approximately AS 7500.00 (\$300.00). Meetings are arranged by phone, a call being made to his apartment in Vienna about 2200 hours the day previous to contact.

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PS: As a former German Army radio operator, the same  
XXX disadvantage concerning accrues to GRIVING as to GRICE, described thus in the postscript to NSA 5417-27229.

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